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## <u>Claims</u>

1\ A comb (1, 101, 201, 301) for applying a product to keratinous fibers, particularly the eyelashes or eyebrows, comprising an arrangement of teeth (2a, 3a) capable of applying said product, characterized in that said arrangement of teeth is obtained by assembling at least two separate parts (2, 3).

- 2. The comb (1, 101, 301) as claimed in claim 1, characterized in that the parts (2, 3) are obtained by molding thermoplastic in a single piece and are joined together pivotably by a film hinge (4, 304).
  - 3. The comb (1, 101, 301) as claimed in claim/2, characterized in that, after molding, the parts (2, 3) are assembled by snap-fastening, by welding or by bonding.
  - 4. The comb (201) as claimed in claim/1, characterized in that the parts are obtained by molding separate thermoplastic parts (202, 203) which are then assembled by snap-fastening (206, 207), by welding or by bonding.
  - 5. The comb (1, 101, 201, 301) as claimed in any of the preceding claims, characterized in that at least one of the parts (2, 3) comprises a succession of teeth configured in the form of at least one row connected to a base (2b, 3b) of elongate shape extending along an axis (X).
  - 6. The comb as claimed in any of the preceding claims, characterized in that the teeth (2a, 3a) are offset in a staggered configuration alternating from side to side of a surface (S) formed, in particular, of a plane along which the two parts (2, 3) meet.

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7. The comb as claimed in claim 5 or 6, characterized in that, when viewed along the axis (X), two consecutive teeth (2a, 3a) have free ends which diverge, which converge or which cross.

- 5 8. The comb as claimed in claim 6 or 7, characterized in that, when viewed from the side, two consecutive teeth have free ends which diverge, which converge or which cross.
- 9. The comb as claimed in claim 7 or 8, characterized in that, when viewed from the side, two consecutive teeth (2a, 3a) form between them a notch (E), particularly a V-shaped notch.
- 10. The comb as claimed in any of claims 6 to 9, characterized in that the teeth have front and/or rear faces which are parallel to the meeting surfaceand which form an acute obtuse angle therewith.
  - 11. The comb as claimed in any of the preceding claims, characterized in that it is secured to an element (10, 20) for grasping.
- 12. The comb as claimed in any of the preceding claims, characterized in that the two parts are assembled by snap-fastening means (206, 207), said snap-fastening means consisting of at least one male/female system with two complementary elements, one arranged on a first part (2) and the other on a second part (3) of the comb.
  - 13. The comb (301) as claimed in any of claims 2 and all those dependent thereon, characterized in that the film hinge (304) is oriented at right angles to the axis (X).
- 14. The comb (1,/101) as claimed in any of claims 2 and all those dependent thereon, characterized in that the film hinge (4) is oriented parallel to the axis (X).

15. The comb (301) as claimed in claim 13, characterized in that it is fixed to said element (10) for grasping by an end (6a, 6b) located away from the film hinge (4).

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- 16. The comb (1, 101, 201) as claimed in any of the preceding claims, characterized in that it comprises means (10a) capable of consolidating the assembly of the two parts (2, 3).
- 10 17. The comb (1, 101, 201) as claimed in any of claims 2 to 16, characterized in that the thermoplastic contains agents intended to improve the slip along the eyelashes, such as graphite, molybdenum disulfide or Teflon.
- 15 18. The comb (1, 101, 201) as claimed in any of claims 1 to 17, characterized in that the parts (2, 3) are made of different materials.
  - 19. The comb (1, 101, 201) as claimed in any of the preceding claims, characterized in that at least one portion of at least one of the parts is covered in flocking.
  - 20. The comb (1, 101, 201) as claimed in any of the preceding claims, characterized in that, as the parts are being assembled, a layer of absorbent material is inserted between two parts.

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- 21. The comb (1, 101, 201) as claimed in the preceding claim, characterized in that said absorbent material is chosen from open-cell or semi-open-cell foams/felts, wovens and nonwovens.
- 22. A set (A) for applying a product (P), particularly a cosmetic product, to the eyelashes or eyebrows, comprising a container (11) for containing a reserve of product (P), possibly a wringing-out member (19), and an

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applicator (13) capable of being arranged removably on the container, said applicator comprising an element (10, 20) for grasping equipped with a comb (1, 101, 201, 301) as claimed in any of the preceding claims.

23. The use of a set (A) as claimed in the preceding claim for applying make-up to the eyelashes or eyebrows.

The invention concerns a comb (1) for applying a product on keratinous fibres, comprising and arrangement of teeth (2a, 3a) foe applying said product. The invention is characterised in that said arrangement of teeth is obtained by assembling at least two separate parts (2, 3). The invention also concerns an application set equipped with such comb (1), and its use for applying make-up on eyelashes or eyebrows.